Love, like the butterfly, takes wing;

He courts the rose but to forsake; Ah! then beware his treacherous sting, Which leaves the fester'd heart to break! But Friendship has the ivy's truth, And closer twines when tempests low'r: It takes its root in early youth, And blossoms in life's latest hour,

RELIGION.

Oh! look upon the morning sun Just rising o'er the edge of ocean; The billows sparkling as they run, Appear to feel warm life's emotion. Religion rising o'er the soul Is brighter than that sun or sea; Those for a day may feam and roll, This shines in Heaven eternally.

EPITAPH.-From the Greek. My name! my country! what is that to thee What I whether base or proud, by pedigree! Perhaps I far surpass all other men : Perhaps I fell below them all-what then? Suffice it, stranger, that thou seest a tomb; Thou know'st its use : it hides-no matter whom.

Miscellaucous.

POR THE WESTERN CAROLINIAN.

Mr. White: The following remarks " on parochial finances" are from the pen of that energetic and accomplished writer, Dr. Mason of New-York. To some of your readers, his views on this subject will probably seem to be incorrect, and his fears to be without foundation. But they are certainly worthy of the attentive perusal of every professed Christain, and of every intelligent citizen who is friendly to an enlightened and pious ministry.

Yours.

ON PAROCHIAL FINANCES. 44 When men consecrate themselves," says Dr. Mason, "to the religious weal of a people, and do, by that act, forego the opportunities open to all others, of providing for themselves and their families, a competent maintenance, it is the least remuneration which they have a right to claim. It is the dictate of common sense, common justice, and common humanity. It is also the express command of our Lord Jesus Christ, But sotwithstanding these considerations, the ministry is little better than a starving profession. Not one man in twenty, were he compelled to live on the salary allowed him by his congregation. could escape from beggary and rags. The certain effect is, on the one hand, to deter young men of respectable talent from the ministry altogether; and on the other, to discourage, depress, and finally to ruin those who are in it already. That degree of tilent which fits one, so far as intellectual endowments go, for a useful ministry of the cal conspiracy to starve christianity gospel, is much rarer than many seem to imagine; and, humanly speaking, has its temporal prosperity in its own power. When other pursuits invite by the promise of not only a maintenance, but of gain, and even of opulence, it is idle, it is unfeasonable, to hope that youth of talents, without fortune, whatever be their piety, will serve the church of God at the expense of devoting themselves to infallible penury, and all the wretchedness which belongs to it. They may desire, they may wish; and, in some instances, from that simplicity which never calculates or which flatters itself that something favorable "will turn up," they may venture: but in general they must turn away with a sigh from the employment, which, of all others, their hearts most long after. Let us not hear of self-denial, spiritual-mindedness, and an heroic indifference to worldly things, as characteristic of the true minister of Christ. Self-denial does not mean starving. The spirituality of the father will not stop the cravings of the children, when they cry for food; nor is there any heroism in preferring tatters and a hovel to decent clothing and lodging, when they may be had. It is very convenient, no doubt, for men who are adding house to house, field to field, thousand to thousand, to harangue in a religious style, on the necessity of a minisnot where to lay his head," when the that I died and went to the lower repractical inference of all this is in fa- gions, I there saw his Satanic Majesvor of their own packets. They are ty; and he asked me where I was wonderfully concerned for spirituality from, I told him fromand self-denial to be practised by their Connecticut-well what are they dominister; but as to their own share of |ing there? O, they are settling a minthese virtues, as to their parting with inter. Settling a minister? said he. Roap and you want to tie it a Bout a pittance of their pelf to render him Jack, bring me my boots, I must be off comfortable-why, that is another af- and attend to this business; but is fair It is one of the most wicked there no opposition? Why there is cultivation of a minister's heavenlymindedness by way of an apology for
mindedness by an ap cheating him out of his bread. The just as well as if I were to go myself. night last, in the Jail of this city. ain of the neglect complained of, is

not equally gross in all. In some it proceeds from thoughtlessnes; in others, from incapacity to make a right of downright covetousness. There habitants, who had supplied me with estimate; but in most, it is the fruit has been on this subject, an absura plenty of fish; here eaten in a raw squeamistness in those whom the state, and which, to this hour, I re-Gospel." They have borne, and for-borne; they have submitted to every species of sacrifice, rather than diso- melting of raw fish in the mouth i oysblige their people; and their only reward has been an accoumulation of in- in the world is nothing to it : nor is it juries, and cold blooded contempt, only a small quantity that may be ea-It is time for them to claim their due ten of this precious commodity. I in a modest but manly tone; and throw myself have finished a whole fish the fearful responsibility of expelling an enlightened ministry from the church, upon those who are able, but not willing to support it honorably. We say an "enlightened" ministry. For we have no conception that niggardly provision will soon strip her of every thing in the shape of a minister, derives the names of Strogenina: to You cannot place the pecuniary recom- complete the luxury, only salt and pense so low, as that it shall not be an pepper were wanting. object for somebody -fix your salaries at fifty dollars a year, and you shall not want candidates. But then they will be fifty-dollar men. All genius, all learning, all high character, all capacity for extensive usefulness, will be swept away; and rudeness, ignorance, imprudence, and sulgarity will become the religious directors of the nation. The man is blind who does not see matters fast hastening to this issue in the United States.

"In the mean time, such ministers as are better qualified for their stations, are not only decreasing in proportion to the population, but, with few exceptions, are prohibited from cultivating the powers which they possess. Remote from literary society; without libraries; without leisure to use what books they have; distracted with anxiety for their immediate subsistence; donmed to the plough or some other secular business, to keep themselves fed and clothed; their intellects become enfeebled; their acquisitions are dissipated; their ministry grows barren; their people indifferent, and the solid interests of christianity are gradually, but effectually undermined. Let the church be warned. They have long slept on the edge of a precipice: the ground is caving in below them; and still they are not aware. The population of our country is increasing with unexampled rapidity; very incompetent means are used to furnish an efficient ministry; and the people themselves are throwing the most fatal discouragements in the way. All denominations seem to be engaged in a practiout of the land. Let them tremble at their deeds; let their loins be loosed and their knees smite together at the bare possibility that they may succeed.'

POR THE WESTERN CAROLINIAN.

Mr. White: It is believed you would gratify court her family. large number of your readers, by giving the following anecdate a place in the Western Caro-Yours, &c.

My Servant Dorr !- Mr. Bunce, of the Litchfield Eagle, in his violent opposition to missions and charitable inanecdote :

In a certain town in Connecticut. which shall be nameless, resided some years since a Mr. Dorr; and it so happened that the Eclesiastical Society, of which Mr. Dorr was a member, were desirous of settling a minister; all, or nearly all, were agreed in the candidate but Mr. Dorr, and he was determined to oppose him from his hatred to the cause. Accordingly, at a meeting of the Society, Mr. D. talents. made his appearance, and while the debate was waxing warm, a shrewd young man, who had been sitting some time with his head down, suddeply rose and addressed the chair; saving he had just had a dream, which related to the subject is question; and with permission he would like to tell it. Leave was granted; and said

REDN COCRASO'S TRAVELS IN STREETS. On the 3d of December, I quitted the town of Zashiversh, not ungrateful for the hospitality of its poor inever tasted. Spite of our prejudices, there is nothing to be compared to the ters, clotted cream, or the finest jelly which in its frozen state might have weighed two or three pounds, and with black biscuit, and a glass of rye with black biscuit, and a glass of rye brandy, have defied either nature or art to prepare a better meal. It is cut up or shaved into slices with a sharpe bnife, from head to tail, and thence

The physiology of vegetables is a most curious and entertaining branch of the science of botany; and owing to the great improvement of our microscopes may be pursued to an extent far beyond the most sanguine hopes of former students. In some recent ex- sive stock of Hate ever offered in this market, periments, the growth of wheat was 1000 real La Payette Beaver Hats actually rendered visible to the eyea bubble of gas was seen to dart forth 2000 carrying with it a portion of vegetable matter, which instantaneously formed into a fine tube, and one fibre was completed. With instruments like ours, what may we not hope to accomplish in studies unexhausted, and inexhaustible.

FORTITUDE.

Gen. Greene stated, that, ' at the battle of Eutaw Springs, hundreds of my men were as naked as they were born. Posterity will scarcely believe that the bare loins of many brave men who carried death into the enemy's ranks, at the Eutaw, were galled by their cartouch-boxes, while a folded rag or a tuft of moss protected the shoulders from sustaining the same injury from the musket.

LARGE TREE.

The Lexington, Ky. Public Advertiser, says that "there now stands on the banks of the Ohio river, in the state of Indiana, opposite the mouth of Salt river, a Sycamore tree, which has stabled fourteen head of horses at one time, with ample room. It takes 76 long paces to go round its trunk, and you may with perfect ease turn a 14 foot pole in the inside of its cavi-

MATRIMONIAL MAXIMS. If you intend marrying for love, pay your addresses to the lady herself; if for legacies, court these who are to

leave them; and if for connexion,

If you marry young, your children will be your rivals in your pleasures; if you marry old, they will be your masters in your decline.

If you know not what to do with yourself, marry the handsomest lady deceased; and of, in and to a certain suit, pendstitutions, regainds us of the following that you can, upon the shortest acquaintance; and if you do not find it out, she will teach you...

> A lady who takes no care of her own person before marriage, will take as little of her household after.

> If your lady is fond of play, you must submit to two losses-your own money and her temper.

If you wish to have a dirty and uncomfortable house, marry a lady Salisbury and Salem. Having contracted for whom all the world praises for her carrying the U. S. mail between those places, judgment will be entered according to plantif's once a week, he will be enabled to take three demand.

Second marriages are not always ke second thoughts.

If your wife is continually telling you that she is miserable, and must leave you, affect to leave her, and she arrives there, returns that night to Mr. Smoot's, will follow you to the world's end.

News of Literature and Fashion.

The following letter is published in the Utica Sentinel, as having been written by a man in the jail of Oneida county, N. Y. to his wifeverbatim et litera tim :

"Dear wife I take this Priveliege to inform you a gain to come and See Me if you dont come a aunday you cant See me uther Peapple Makes the My Neck come if you Pleas,"

A prisoner named Laurens charged

Fresh Goods.

HE subscribers are receiving, at their STORE in Concord, and New-York, a large and genera

All kinds of Goods:

and have made arrangements to receive from said places, monthly, any further supply that may be necessary—selected with care, and laid in at

Country Produce, of all kinds, received in exchange for Goods.

Cash Shop.

SAM'L. LANDER.

Dec. 13, 1824.

Stick Gig, for Sale.

The subscriber has also for sale at his shop, a very good stick gig, almost new, with a first rate harness to it. I will also sell the gig very low.

Also, one other Gig, without harness, is for sale, very cheap, as above.

SAM'L. LANDER.

Wholesale Hat Store. ELI T. HOYT & CO.

HAVE lately received from New-York and Philadelphia, the largest and most exten-

do. Castor do. do. water proof oval Roram 2000 common 800 dozen fine and coarse wool Hats

100 do. morocco Hats Also, a complete assortment of Hat trimmings. The above stock is all fresh, and will be sold very cheap; and they earnestly solicit their country friends and customers when in town, to call and examine for themselves.

Wanted, Rabbit Skins, in any quantity, in ex-change for Hats; for which 373 cents per doz. will be given. 4t48

Charleston, 1st February, 1825.

The Co-Partnership ERETOFORE existing between the sub-scribers, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 7th inst. The settlement of the affairs devolves on Charles F. V. Reeve, to whom all persons indebted to the late firm of BRIDG-

WOOD & REEVE, will make payment.
THOMAS BRIDGWOOD, CHARLES F. V. REEVE.

The China, Glass and Earthen-Ware buainess, will be continued by CHARLES F. V. REEVE, on his own account, at his store, No 281 King-Street, opposite the Merchant's Hotel, who has received, by recent arrivals from Europe, 650 packages Liverpool and French Wares.

'IN STORE. 50 cases New-York manufactured gilt and mahogany framed Looking Glasses. Also, a general and extensive assortment of the most fashionable and improved patterns of Crockery, China, Glass-Ware, &c. suitable for town and country trade, which are now offered to the

public on the most liberal terms Country orders repacked safely, and at the shortest notice. Charleston, January 10.

Notice.

N pursuance of a Deed of Trust, executed to me by Seth Wade, late of Randolph county, ready money, in the town of Ashborough, in Randolph county, on the 12th day of March next, a certain Truct of Land, granted by the State of 16453, on warrant number 2988, lying in Henry county, in the state of Tennessee, in the 12th surveyor's district, and in the 4th range and 8th section; containing 517 acres, or thereabouts. Also, all the right, title, interest, estate, claim and demand, both at law and in Equity, which the said Seth Wade had of, in and to the estate of Thomas Stillwell, late of Johnston county, ing in the Court of Equity for Randolph county, wherein the said Seth Wade was complainant. and Eleanor W. Stillwell and Philip Raiford, administratrix and administrator of the estate of said Thomas Stillwell, deceased, are defendants. ALEXANDER GRAY, Truster, &c.

13th February, 1825. An Accommodation Passage

From Salisbury to Salem, and back ogain, CAN be had, in a light covered two-horse wagon, with spring seats, which the subscriber intends running, benceforward, between passengers at a time, and convey them with case and expedition, to and from the above places, when the mail is taken-which starts from Salisbury every Friday morning, before day light, and arrives in Salem between 3 and 4 o'clock same day; and, after the Raleigh stage Salisbury, by way of Lexington, on Saturday, about 20 clock. Passengers will be taken at 61 cents per mile; buggage at the usual rates.

THOMAS HOLMES. Salisbury, Peb. 14, 1825.

Boot and Shoe Establishment of parte and have judgment pro confesso. REMOVED.

EBENEZER DICKSON takes this method to inform his customers, and the public at large, that he has removed his sone-shop from the house he formerly occupied, and has taken FITHE subscriber having qualified as executhe house owned by Mr. Thomas Touch nearly opposite Win. H. Slaughter's house of enteropposite Wm. H. Slaughter's house of enter- late of Rowan county, dec'd. at the court of will carry on, as usual, the Boot and Shoe ma- held on the third Monday of November last,mindedness by way of an apology for need'nt bring the boots, Dorr will do insanity, hung himself on Wednesday All orders from a distance, for work in his fine, scribed by law. will be faithfully attended to.

Salisbury, Sept. 17, 1824.

More good Beer

THE subscriber has now supplied hims with hops and malt, in abundance, and the hope malter, which will enable him to be with hops and malt, in abundance, and of the best quality; which will enable him to brew any quantity of the best kind of Mult Liquer, commonly called "strong beer." He now has on hand, two or three hundred gallons of the first quality of Beer, which is warranted to keep well; and which he will sell by the barrel, gallon, or smaller measure—at 25 cents per gallon, by the barrel; or 30 cents for a single gallon. He intends keeping a supply of this beer, and will be thankful for orders from a distance, for any quantity.

THOMAS HOLMES any quantity, THOMAS HOLMES, Sulleburg, Peb. 14, 1825. 3147

New Supply of Fresh Goods.

THE subscriber is receiving and opening a large and general assortment of all kinds of Goods, at his store in Salisbury, from Philadelphia and New-York; and has made arrangements to receive from said places, monthly, any further supply that may be necessary—selected with care, and laid in at prices that will enable him to sell very low. His customers, and the him to sell very low. His customers, and the public at large, are respectfully invited to call, examine, and judge for themselves.

J. MURPHY. Salisbury, Sept. 1824. **6mt48** N. B. Country Produce of all kinds, received n exchange.

Stop the Rogue!

A MAN by the name of John Jones, while on my horse (a dark bay mare, blind of the right eye) about a mile west of Chesterville, S. C. of (myself walking before him, talking with some gentlemen) about dark, on Thursday, 3d inst. reined the horse into the woods, and made his escape, and has not since been heard of. This man is about 50 years of age, and quite grey-headed; about 5 feet 7 inches high, slender made, thin visage, and speaks very quick: the mare he rode off, is 6 or 7 years old, about 15 hands high, and well set. 20 dollars reward will be given for said man and horse—or for secur. ing him in any jail, and giving me information at Salisbury, N. C. so that I get him and the

JAMES CAVENDER. Feb. 7, 1825,

To the Public.

THE public is hereby notified, that a bond for ix hundred dollars and upwards, purpor-ting to be payable by me to Charles Wethero, was obtained fraudulently and without valid consideration. I am determined not to pay said bond or any part thereof.

JOHN ALBRIGHT. Salisbury, Feb. 9, 1824.

To Journeymen Tailors. THE subscriber wishes to employ one or I two journeymen, to whom good wages and steady employ will be given. JACOR RIBELIN.

Lexington, Feb. 7th, 1825. Taken up and committed O the jail in Morganton, Burke county, N. C. on the 6th day of December, 1824, a negro fellow, who says his name is John; he is about six feet high, not very black, and is about axty or sixty-five years old: says he belongs to a Mrs. Jones, in Warren county, N. C. Any person having a legal claim to said negro, is desired to come forward, pay charges, and take him away-otherwise he will be sold as the law

directs.

State of North-Carolina.

JOHN McGUIRE, Jailor.

RUTHERFORD COUNTY. COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sesisons, Jan. Unry Session, 1825. Aspasia Earle versus James H. Fergison: Original attachment levied

on a wagon, one watch, and other articles. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court deceased, bearing date the 3d day of June, A. that the defendant is an inhabitant of another D. 1824 to secure a certain debt due by him to State, ordered therefore that publication be Jesse Harper, I shall expose to public sale, for made in the Western Carolinian for six weeks, that the defendant appear at our next County Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be holden for the county of Rutherford, at the Court Tennessee to the said 8eth Wade, by grant No. House in Rutherfordton on the 3d Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, then and there replevy plead or demur or judgment will be ea tered up against him, and the property conden ned accordingly.

Witness, Isaac Craton, Clerk of our said Court, at office, the 2d Monday of January, 1825. ISAAC CRAVON, Clerk.

State of North-Carolina,

DAVIDSON COUNTY

NOURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Dec J term, 1824. David Ensley, sen. vs. David Ensley, jr. : original attachment levied on land. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant in this case is an inhabitant of another state, it is therefore ordered by the cours, that advertisement be made six weeks, successively, in the Western Carolinian, printed in Salisbury, that the defendant appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Davidson, at the court-house in Lexington, on the third Monday in March next, then and there to plead, or demur, or D. MOCK, Cl'k.

State of North-Carolina,

IREDELL COUNTY.

COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, November term, 1824. James Henson terms about twelve or thirteen miles; and arrives in James Huic; Original attachment returned levied on land. In this case, it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that James Huie, the defendant, is not an inhabitant of this state, it Application for passage can be made at the is therefore ordered, that publication be made subscriber's House of Entertaiment, in Salisbury; for three months in the Western Carolinian. that unless the defendant appear at the next term of our court to be held at the court house in Statesville, on the 3d Monday of February, 1825, and plead, or the plaintiff will be heard

Price adv. \$4.

Estate of Alex. Long, decd. tor of the last will of Alexander Long.

JAMES I. LONG, Exercite